

21 AUG 1961

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Inspector General's Survey of the Covert  
Action Staff

REFERENCE : Memorandum for DCI from DD/P, dated 1 August  
1961, Subject: IG's Survey of the Covert  
Action Staff

1. I have reviewed the referenced memorandum from the  
Deputy Director (Plans) and concur in the content, with the  
emphasis on paragraph 4.

2. While I agree with the views of the DD/P, as a matter  
of record I should like to register a nonconcurrence in the  
substance of the attachments to his memorandum. The dissenting  
responses to many of our recommendations reflect the views which  
have traditionally been held by the CA Staff. They do not,  
however, address themselves to the intent and substance of these  
recommendations as explained in the text of the report, nor do  
they contain facts which were not considered during the inspec-  
tion. However, since the DD/P's memorandum indicates his  
personal agreement with the objectives of the recommendations,  
and since the CA Staff now has a new Chief and Deputy Chief, I  
believe that the objectives can be achieved through normal  
channels. Consequently, I feel no further action is needed by  
this office at this time, but we would like to review the situa-  
tion in about six months' time.

SIGNED

Lyman B. Kirkpatrick  
Inspector General

cc: DDCI

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<p>Brad - Let's send the DDP a memo. touching on the highlights of audit report and asking what action is planned. LBR</p>			
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